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April 27, 2018

Romina Kirchmaier Smartlink LLC 85 Rangeway Road Building 3, Suite 102 Billerica, MA 08132

RE:

EM-AT&T-166-180412 – AT&T notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 347 East Street, Wolcott, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Kirchmaier:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on April 12, 2018.

According to Section 16-50j-71 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "...any modification, as defined in Section 16-50j-2a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, to an existing tower site, except as specified in Sections 16-50j-72 and 16-50j-88 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, may have a substantial adverse environmental effect."

Staff has reviewed this exempt modification request for completeness and has identified a deficiency in the structural analysis report. The structural analysis report provided in the exempt modification filing was run using ANSI/TIA/EIA-222-F standards with a note stating that "conformance to TIA-222-G is not required." Revision G of ANSI/TIA/EIA-222 was adopted by the Connecticut State Building Code effective October 1, 2016.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Smartlink provide a structural analysis report for the proposed modifications using ANSI/TIA/EIA-222-G on or before May 25, 2018. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to May 25, 2018.

This notice of incompletion shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 60-day timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 217 of the FCC Wireless Infrastructure Report and Order issued on October 21, 2014 (FCC 14-153).

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 860-827-2951.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman Executive Director

MAB/CW

c: The Honorable Thomas G. Dunn, Mayor, Town of Wolcott David Kalinowski, Zoning Inspector, Town of Wolcott Agostinho & Joanne Rodrigues, property owner Crown Castle, tower owner